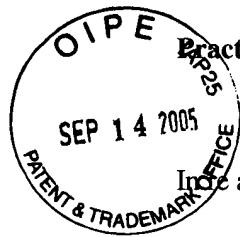


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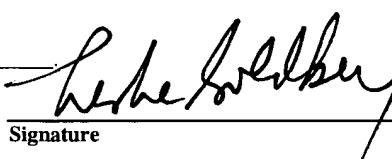
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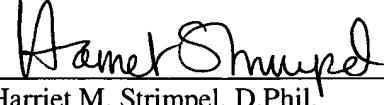
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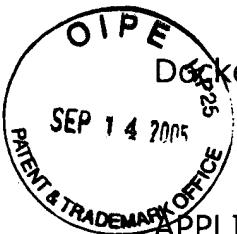
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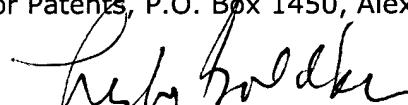
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Amendment

In response to the Official Action mailed August 2, 2005, Applicants elect Group I, claims 1-6, without traverse. Applicants hereby withdraw claims 7-9 without prejudice. The listing of claims begins on page 2 of this paper. Claim 3 has been amended to include the accession number that was not available at the time of the filing of the application. Changes to the Specification appear on page 4 of this paper. The Remarks section begins on page 8 of this paper.